SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1899

John W. Edmonds. Editor and Owner.

LOCAL NEWS.

Board of Supervisors meets Wednesday, December 20th.

Mr. Ernest Northam, of Onancock, has accepted the position of purser on Steamer Pocomoke.

in regard to Xmas goods will appear Triumph," in next issue. Watch his space.

Typhoid fever continues to rage on Sykes Island, in the upper part of this county. Several new cases have de veloped in the past week.

Mr. Carson F Chandler, of Mappsville has been engaged by County Clerk Oldham and is now doing clerical work in that office. A fair and festival will be held at

Ayres Church, Wednesday of Xmas week, December 27th, or if weather prevents next day. Public invited

Margaret Academy, Wednesday evening, one of a series, showing the

The columns and other necessary material for new courthouse have ar rived and the roof, if weathers permits, will be completed in about three

Mr. A. D. Van Deman, of Parksley.

New advertisements in this issue, to which attention is especially in the accident. vited: Ames, Shield and Co, J. Adelstein, Ouarcock; A. H. G. Mears, Wachapreague; I. H. Merrill, Pocomoke Hotel, Pocomoke City:

A meeting of farmers will be held at New Church, Wednesday, December 27th, 1 p. m The manager of te Exchange will be present, to ex plain its objects and the results which through it are expected.

Elder, will hold quarterly conference | new buildings. Business was practiin Onaucock M. E. Church, Satur- cally suspended during the week day, December 9th, and will preach while the saved merchandise was Sunday morning, December 10th He being put in order for the adjustment will also preach at Leatherbury of insurance claims Great induce Chapel at 3 p m.

The valuable and productive farm of Samuel J. Shield and wife, situated about one mile from Davis' Wharf, this county, is for sale on reasonable terms. For terms, &c., apply to L. Floyd Nock, attorney, Accomack C. H., Va.

Stewart K. Powell, special commis | save the property. Indiff-rence or sioner, in suit of W. J. Hall & Son bad management would have caused vs. Levi Northam's admr, et als, will ten times more loss. sell at public auction at Belinda, Saturday, December 28d, 2 p. m , by virtue of a decree in said suit, three parcels of land situated near Belinda. ly ill, is yet prostrated in bed. For full particulars see posters.

W. H. Williams, the drummer evan gelist, and lecturer for the Richmond creasing in number. Keeley Institute, will speak as fol-Va., Saturday, December 16th, 7:30 pretty extensive scale for a Children's p m and Sunday, December 17th, 10.30 entertainment on Christmas night in a m also at 3 p m ,Sunday, December 17th, at Leatherbury M. E. church.

The vice president and general manager of the B. C. & A. Railway Co., in accordance with the organiz; tion for conducting the business of the list the name of Mr. Tully A. the wise is sufficient.

will sell at Harborton, on December nomination for U S. Senator in the 16th, 1899, at 2 p. m , the valuable lot Assembly caucus. of land whereon Richard R. Parker resides, containing six acres, more or unloaded coal here last week, and less. Said land is beautifully located, left light for Newport News. The immediately on Pungoteague creek schooner Maggie Hastings from and is a most desirable location for a Franklin is loading with oysters for residence. It also has a valuable Norfolk. ovster shore.

The ladies will give an cyster supper that Rev. W.J. Twilley has been sent at Assawaman Chapel, Friday after- by the Conference to this circuit. noon, December 22d, and at night a He has always been very popular concert, consisting of music, cha- here, not only with the members of rades, tableaus etc. The best home the church but the people generally. talent will take part in the exercises He will be accorded a warm welcome. visiting relatives and friends in this Turlington, chairman, and Wm. M. Price of admission, children 10 cents adults 15 cents; price of oysters ten cents a plate. The public cordially invited and a good time guaranteed.

A bazaar will be held at Parksley more. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday before Christmas under the auspices Baptist Church at that place, open day, aged about 65 years. every day from 10 a. m. A free conevening in the appearance of Santa days. Klaus. Oysters, terrapins and light refreshments will be served at all

Baptist Church. John H. Wise, trustee, by virtue In a recent examination held in December 28th, 1899, 2 p. m., the real Maggie Smith, 90, Bettie Doughty 971 estate described in said deed as that certain parcel of land, situated at the head of Guilford Creek, known as the Friday, December 14th and 15th for "Burch lot," containing three acres, the practice of my profession. more or less. For full particulars

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Mrs. B. B. Topping, of Delaware, is guest of Mrs. John W. Duncan. Mr. Waller and sister. of Philadelphia, were guests this week of Mrs

paralysis on Monday night and is rels are in demand. dangerously ill.

Mr. Hayman and family, of Phila-Margaret Johnson.

Mr. Oliver Nelson arrived from New York on Wednesday in answer to a message as to the serious illness

R-v. F. M. Edwards filled the pul pit of the M. E. Church, South, on last Sunday. A good congregation assembled. The subject of his dis- boathouse on Assateague Beach, at An advertisement of E. F. Guillette course was, "Christ's Kingdom Shall

Rev. F. M. Edwards left on Wed-Dr. David B. Taylor, of Augusta nesday to meet his family in Sussex county, formerly of Accomac, made county with whom he will return on a short visit to his old home last next Wednesday. His pulpit will be filled on Sunday by Rev. R A. Robinson, of the Margaret Academy.

> Harrye Cleves, infant daughter of Mrs Maud Mills White, departed this life on last Sunday morning. after a short illness Funeral services were held on Monday, at 11 30 a. m , conducted by Rev. A. Donovan, assisted by Rev. J. Carson Watson. The interment was in the Onancock

left on Wednesday for Dauville, Va , Erastus Johnson, B. T. Gunter, S. where they will reside. Their many A pupils' recital was given at the friends regret their departure from Darbee. W. E. Fox. Accomac; Chas E the Eastern Shore. They have spent Ward, F. W Byrd, Robt Fisher, L E nine years in Accomac since the 13th Brocks, Wilmington, Sidney A. actual every day work of the Acad- of December, 1878. The 'Peninsula Borum, Berlin. Enterprise' has been a visitor to their home since its establishment.

A bicycle accident, rather serious occurred on the side walk of Main street on Monday night. As Rev. J Carson Watson and wife were return had five chickens at the Poultry Ex- against them with a force that knock | holidays. hibition in Philadelphia last week ed both down Though only hurt and secured three of the premiums slightly, they were much shocked, and, of course, much annoyed. The young man made all possible apology

After the fire the business centre of the town, which was full of activity and prepared with excellent stocks set in order for the rush of December business, is now a ruin of ashes, charred timbers and unsightly debris The occupants of the places were which they will have to occupy till tions will also be for sale. Dr. T. E. Martindaie, Presiding the spring permits the erection of ments will be offered by the merchants to the purchasing public to bring a large trade during the bal ance of the season. It is fitting here to say that all praise is due the people-the mayor and council and hundreds of men and women, citizens and visitors-who exerted every energy erection here for Mr. Jno. E. Nock,

Washapreague

Mrs. Henry Rhodes, so long serious

The promised marriages are rapidly approaching, and report has it, in-

Preparations are being made on

Mr. Sam Foote left here a week ago to fill a temporary position on the N. Y. P. & N. R. R steamer line between

Cape Charles and Norfolk. Mrs. W. F Hudson has a beautiful the company, has announced the ap- supply of wedding present in her new pointments, taking effect December Christmas stock of goods. The oc-1st, 1899. It is gratifying to note in casion is propitions and a word to

Joynes, as superintendent of steamer | Senator Geo W. LeCato left for Richmond on Monday. He has been W. Nock completed and occupied by Thomas W. Blackstone, trustee, selected by Gov. Tyler to second his them.

Schooner Robertson, Capt Hill, ing after his insurance business

Our people are exceedingly gratified

Pangolengae.

Miss Margaret Battaile, of "Blenheim," spent Thanksgiving in Balti

Mrs. Richard Turner died at her of the members and friends of the home near Craddockville, last Satur-

Mrs. Major Doughty, Misses Gercert will be given every evening at 8 trude and and Josie Mister left Frio'clock, with special feature Friday day for Baltimore to remain several

Mr. Joseph Hickman and Mrs. Vir ginia Wright were married Sunday hours. Proceeds for the Parksley and have made this place their future

of a deed from Thorogood B Mason Pungoteague Public School, Miss and wife, for benefit of John E Wise Emma L. Read, principal, on and James A. Hall, commissioners geography, grammer and arithmetic, appointed by the Public School the average of the honor roll was as Board of Accomac, and by direction follows: Estelle Warren, 98; Marion of S. Wilkins Matthews, now the Martin, 97%, Mary Kellam, 99%. Mary beneficiary in said deed, will sell at Martin 96%, Ethel Wescott, 99%, Edith public auction at Bloxom Thursday. Waterfield, 981. Ida Wescott 981.

I will be at Atlantic, Thursday and

Dr. W. A. Taylor

Mr. W. C. Payne has just returned from business trip to the Northern

Schooner Emma Robertson loaded here this week with pine wood for New York

Mrs. S. R. Nelson was stricken with his barrel manufactory and his bar-Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Selby have returned from their wedding journey

delphia, are visiting the home of Mrs. and made Atlantic Hotel their home Master Fred Messick, of this place, through the influence of Hon. S. W.

matthews, has been appointed page

in House of Delegates. He lef for Richmond Monday. Joseph E Virden, of Lewes, Del., is the contractor to build a large iron Toms Cove. Schooner Williams ar-

rived with the lumber and iron this

Schooner Leeds and Janie Lewis loaded up the bay, in Maryland, with public road at Northam's mill. Apoysters this week. The oystermen up proved by the court and necessary there are indignant at the charge by expenditure (\$125) certified to Board the Railroad people on empties and of Supervisors. have concluded to run their oysters to market in the old fashioned way. Our people too are independent of the railroads and should follow their

Arrivals at Atlantic Hotel this week: Rolley Moore, E. P. Timmons, J. J. English, R F. Powell, John E. Smith J. R Duncalfe, H. T. Smack, Chas P. Noldney, Jacob Hafendorfe, Rev. J Carson Watson and family Philadel phia; Jas H. Fletcher, W Matthews, A. S. Kellam H. C

Hog killing and moving are the order of the day in this community.

Preparations are being made by

Rev. F. M Edwards, new pastor of M. E. Church, South, preached " Andrew Chapel last Sunday and and expressed the deepest regret for greatly pleased his large congrega-

> John H. Scott and Mr. McCready, of Parksley, and H. R. Boggs, of this place, spent a day in the fields last felonious cutting. week quail shooting. They succeeded in bagging 20 birds.

There will be an oyster supper at this place Saturday afternoon and scattered to the various unoccupied night, December 9th. Proceeds for rooms in all sections of the town benefit of Baptist church. Confec-

Dr. A E. Owen, of Norfolk, in the absence of the pastor, filled the pulpit of Broadway Baptist church last Sunday afternoon. Dr. Owen is a fine speaker, and his sermon was much enjoyed by the large crowd

E eller.

Mrs. Cora Byrd, quite sick for several weeks, is convalescent.

A handsome dwelling, in course to stop the ravages of the fire and is nearing completion.

Rev. Mr. Bransford is conducting a revival meeting at Oak Grove and good results are expected.

Rev. Ernest Stevens, of late the returned to his home in Culpeper,

Our high school is progressing fine ly. A portrait of Miss Willard, the great temperance advocate, lately presented to it, now adorns its walls

In match game of baseball between the juvenile teams of Keller and was entered, agreed dismissed. Belle Haven on the 30th ult., the latter won, but we will give a better account of ourselves later.

Mr. Edward H. Drummond and Miss Mary S. Waterfield were married at the bride's home near this place on 6th inst., Rev. W. H Gregory officiating.

The new dwellings of W S. and S.

Mr. J. W. Broughton spent several days on Chincoteague this week look

The Day Bros. continue to send large quantities of fine out lumber for public road on Chincoteague from this station to Pennsylvania, to Island. Petition filed and viewers be used in building cars.

Madame rumor has it that wedding bells will soon be ringing with us and one family, it stated, will be swept

away by a matrimonial cyclone. Mr. John D. Wimbrough, formerly of this county, now of Baltimore, is section and always receives a wel-

come to his old home. The people of this section are tak ing advantage of the fine weather of this week to slaughter their porkers. Many, however, have none to kill, because of the ravages of cholera.

Capt. Chas. H. Rogers spent the week in Baltimore.

All our merchants now busy getting in Christmas fancy goods.

Miss May Joynes and Miss Lillie Turlington as secretary. Elmore have been visiting Mrs. Lon Martin this week.

Mr. George W. White, who has been sick, is now better and will soon be himself again.

Mr. W. W. Bull still grows fine porkers. Three killed by him, this week, weighed 525, 482 and 325 lbs. Mr. A. S. Bull is thinking of starting a hotel at this station and all of us think he would be a popular man

for the place.

visit be to the 10 cent store for china, bedsteads, chairs, mattrasses, &c , for brie-a-brac, toys, Xmas tree orna sale at prices to suit the times.

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS.

November Term 1899 L. Floyd Nock qualified as executor of John E. Mears and as adminstrator of Elizabeth Jane Mears, widow of said John E. Mears, de-

Charles C. Dix qualified as admin-Mr. Gordon B Jones has opened istrator of John T. Scott, deceased. The estate of Eliza Mears, deceas-

ed, was committed to Levin J. Gun ter, sheriff, for administration. The sheriff reported the number o prisoners in jail-only one.

The clerk reported the list of flaes reported to him by Justices of the Peace in month of October L. J. Winder & Co. vs. Baltimore Bargain House (on attachment.) This cause was entered, agreed dis-

missed, with defendant to pay the Petition of Benj. F. Young et als for a drain. Cause continued on motion of petitioners until first da.

of next term. Petition of L T. Ross and others for a public bridge and to change

Costs of inquest over Vinsant Ginn filed, held by Emory Maffitt, J. P. and acting coroner, allowed. William L. Nock appointed trusted in place of James G. Nock, declined, in deed from Handy Parks for benefit

of L. Floyd Nock. Emma Mabel Selby exonerated for payment of erroneous assessments of taxes for 1898

Ex parte: James Mason of M's admr. Report of Jos. R. Riggs, administrator, filed and confirmed Retail liquor license granted to

Parvis E. Bloxom at "Harrington" in Pungoteague Magisterial District. Samuel W. Ames vs. Henry Bevaus (on attachment for rent) Judgment for plaintiff and order of sale of attached property to satisfy rent and costs of attachment.

Peter F. Reid vs. James H. kins (on attachment for rent) Judgour young people for entertainments ment for plaintiff and order of sale of ing from a visit, a wheelman ran at the churches during the Christmas attached property to satisfy rent and cost of attachment.

"true bill" an indictment against John Riley Marshall for selling liquor unlawfully-and as "not true bills," indictments against Joseph Johnson for selling liquor unlawfully, and for selling liquor unlawfully, and John W. H. Nock for malicious and Prof. G. G. Joynes discussed the

The following fiduciary accounts were confirmed and ordered to be recorded: Audits of estates of John Turlington, Edward Snead, George by Mr. Geo. H. Powell with piano ac-Rayfield and John O. Selby-orphan companiment by Miss Charlotte L. accounts of Emma Mabel Selby, Parker. Susie E. and Hall K. Drummond, Meshack Mears and wife.

and confirmed.

Petition of George 8. Rogers and expenditure to complete the work approved by the court, to-wit \$80 00, Ethel T. Lewis. and certified to Board of Supervisors. Robert S. Scarburgh's &c's guard-

guardian, Thos. W. Blackstone, of Miss Madeline Mapp. \$250.00 for two years out of Henrietta Scarburgh's principal money for were presented to the schools at maintenance and education and for Onancock and Keller by the Womans guest of the family of Dr J. E. Mapp, payment of cost of amended petition. Christian Temperance Union, the

and others to change public road and Burke with appropriate remarks for public bridge over "Horse which were responded to fittingly by Branch," near Parksley. Order for the respective principals, Henry A. completion of work and for report to Wise and G. G. Joynes. commissioner, W. McK. Taylor.

Thomas (on a warrant). This cause Petition of Joseph E. Brodwater and others for a drain. Order entered

excusing Jno. D. Parsons from serving as a commissioner and appointing John J. Tunnell in his place. Petition of Thos. R. Mears & others for a public road. Order for comple A short talk was given by President tion of work, and for report by com-

missioner, Geo E Carmine. Petition of Aunie R. Lewis &c's late guardian Order for payment of unpaid costs by late guardian, L.

Floyd Nock. late guardian. Order for payment of

unpaid costs by late guardian, L. Floyd Nock. Petition of J. W. William & others

appointed.

Meeting of Stockholders of Produce Exchauge.

A meeting held at Melfa, Saturday, 2d inst., in the interest of the Eastern Shore Produce Exchange, was organized by the election of Samuel Z Turlington, secretary.

Mr. W. A. Burton, manager, was present and made a plain and business like talk, presenting the objects through it, if properly supported, likely to accrue to them in the protection of their interests.

Board of directors was elected as follows: Thos. B. James, S. C. Tarlington, Geo. W. Turlington, E. W. Mapp and Geo. W. Ayres. Mr. James was also elected general manager, and the Board selected Mr. S. C.

Mr George W Elliott was elected inspector and Mr. Wm. H. Hatton,

W. M. TURLINGTON. Secretary.

candies, cranberries, &c. Also a large line of groceries and other mahandise, shoes and notions which will be sold at surprising prices J. H Savage & Co. Pungoteague, Va.

Rogers & Bro., Finney, Va.

Teachers League.

The Accomac Teachers League convened here on the 30th ult. The distinguished visitors present were Dr. J. W. Southall, State Superintendent Public Instruction, Prof. Frazier, of the State Normal Female Page, of the University of Virginia, and Dr. J. E. Mapp, County Superin tendent. A large number of teachers

were in attendance from nearly every

ocality of the Shore.

The first session was called at 2:30 p. m., on Thursday, Prof G. G Joynes presiding. The exercises opened by prayer by Rev. J. Carson Watson An ad lress of welcome was delivered by Mayor L R. Doughty. With most cordial expression, on behalf of the citizens, he hung out the latch string and offered the hospitality of the town, assuring the League lows: of the appreciation of their meeting in our midst. He spoke of the bene- p m. fits and influence of the public school system here and paid compliment to the president for his many years of excellent work as principal of the Onancock Graded School. Prof Frazier addressed the teachers

upon "The Dignity of the Profession" His thought upon the subject | quested to be present as business of was not upon the surface but was deep into the kernel-was instructive in the full sense and was heard with all interest. His address showed his fitness for the office of teacher of teachers and gave aspiration to teachers for a higher 'standard. His delivery was of smooth, conversational style entirely free from show. Au overture was performed by Mr. Claude Nottingham and Miss Margaret Groton upon violin and piano. Prof. Taylor read a paper upon 'The Public School System" which was a radical criticism upon the system and its public officials. Professors W. A. P. Strang and Frazier an swered the paper and defended the system with a few remarks, well

Ethel T. Lewis. President Tyler was introduced kindness. and delivered a strong address, subject, "Nature in Education." His exled and returned into court as a His style was entirely opposed to dis- kinds of building material, hardware play of learning. The twinkle of paints, &c. Stock large, prices low humor in the eye of the cheerful Mr. R. D. L. Fletcher will be at Ac-Normal educator made his audience comac C. H., the first day of every

dignity of the profession and normal methods with great enthusiasm The evening session was opened by prayer by Rev R. A. Robinson, af-W. Gillespie, Henry P. Mason, Polly ter which a vocal solo was performed

Supt. Dr. J. W. Southall was in-Manie E Bull, nee Rogers, and Hen- troduced and presented a fine paper, rietta C. Quinby-trust account of subject, "Education-its meaning Petition of Jno Kilmon of James' the red hills of Amelia county, the admr. Report of Wm. T. Mason filed general of superintendents and thousand children," was appreciated solved:

on the Eastern Shore Miss Wood

1. That in the death of our sister others for public road (from Onley to on the Eastern Shore. Miss Wood road to Sluthkill Neck) Further rendered a vocal solo, with instrumental accompaniment by Miss our loss, we bow in humble submis-

Prof. J. G. Nock presented a paper, "Patriotism in the Schools," which preciation of the beautiful character, ian vs. Robert S. Scarburgh (on was followed by a vocal solo by Miss lovely disposition and gentleness was followed by a vocal solo by which made her great in our affection. Margaret Battaile, accompani

Portraits of Miss Francis Willard, Petition of Fletcher Drummond delivery being made by Rev. A.

"Child Training" was discussed by Joseph J. Wescott vs. Frederic Prof. J. H. Johnson, and followed by a song by Miss Annie Louise Davis. Miss Ethel T. Lewis then presented a paper, "Reading," the matter of which was considered of a high order and the delivery showed culture and preparation. Her elecution gave pleasure. Mr. Dunbar sang and was accompanied by Miss Ethel T. Lewis. Tyler upon co-operation in the work

of teaching. At Friday morning session, a paper, 'Teachers Influence," was read by Miss Emma LeCato, Prof. W. S. Deitrick, discussed "Fractions," Petition of Lloyd T. Bowden &c's Prof. J. D Grant, Jr., discussed "Interest" and P rof. W. B. Respass read a paper on "Grading public

schools.' At afterno on session, Attorney G Walter Mapp presented a paper on 'Change of teachers," Prof. W. A. P. Strang a paper, "The teacher and the public school," Prof. E. B. Phillips, "Business Arithmetic." Mrs. Jeanie Edmonds, "Should boys and girls play together." Prof. H. A.

Wise, "Importance of elementary arithmetic." At evening session, "Helps to discipline" was read by Prof. G. W. Gillispie. Miss Madeline Mapp presen ted a paper "Place of music in public schools." In the estimation of the audience this was a very fine paper.

It discussed physical development, aesthetic culture and indefinable benefits of the fine art. "The voice and delivery of the art of Virginia, having actual frontage on Chesapeake Bay, Atlantic Ocean, or some good river. Require a house of at least eight rooms. Must have good duck and quail shooting on the previous of the Exchange and the good It discussed physical development. and delivery of the authoress was a strong plea and endorsement for the art advocated in the paper" was the expression of one of the audience-a gentleman of much learning and cul

ture. The subject was worthy of the interest it commanded and the discussion was convincing. A charming address was then delivered by Dr. Page, subject, "Mathematics." All joined in their admiration for this educator of the University-a master of his work, bright, clear, delightfully entertaining.

of Margaret Academy, made a short address upon the educational, moral and religious benefit of the meeting.

An election of League officers was held for the ensuing term, resulting where Erastus Poulson now lives. address upon the educational, moral held for the ensuing term, resulting Apply to as follows: President, G. G. Joynes; We have a full supply of furniture, Secretary, W. A. P. Strang; Treas-When in Pocomoke, let your first oak suits, bureaus, buffets, tables urer, J. D. Grant, Jr.; District Vice-Presidents-Pungoteague, H. A. Wise;

G. W. Gillespie.

Music was furnished during the session by Misses Wood, Johnson Lewis and Davis, and Messrs, Not

tingham and Burke. Resolutions were adopted thanking the citizens for their hospitality and Institute, President L G. Tyler, of expressing regret for their loss by William and Mary College, Professor fire of their material wealth during the session.

The League meeting was consider ed a success and was much appre ciated in the community for its educational benefits. The teachers and visitors were good company. The ladies were complimented for their elegance and refinement. R.

Meetings of the stockholders of the Produce Exchange, of the Eastern Shore of Virginia, to perfect the local organizations will be held as fol-

Keller, Saturday; December 9th,

Nassawadox, Saturday, December 16, 1 p. m. Exmore, Wednesday, December 20

Bloxom, Friday, December 22d, All subscribers are earnestly re

importance will be transacted. WM. A. BURTON.

To My Patrons.

I have re-opened for business at the office of Kelly & Nottingham, opposite Hotel, where I will be pleased to serve you with anything

My stock will be about complete again Saturday 9th, December. My Christmas stock will be equa. to, or better than ever before. J. W. Duncan.

Card of Thanks. We take this method of expressing our sincere thanks to the many chosen. Next, the audience was friends who assisted in saving our favored by a piano solo by Miss property from the fire. We appreciate, in the highest sense, their

Ames, Shield & Co.

Write to us for estimates on doors sash, blinds, stair-rails and all other County Court, to receive orders for the firm

Cape Charles Ice & Lumber Co.

wages can be made. Factory equip-

Steady employment given. Good

ped with latest improved machines. The Onancock Shirt Co., S. C. MCGRATH. General Manager.

3. That we extend to the bereaved ones our sincere sympathy and love, and commend them to God and her

ion to the will of Him, "who doeth

all things well.'

that their loss, is her eternal gain. Andrew Chapel Aid Society.

beautiful life for comfort, believing

Business Nettees. Notice-A light brindle cow, with hole in each ear, came to my house, near Jenkins Bridge, two weeks ago Owner will prove property, pay charges and take her away.

FOR SALE-One hundred barrels of 'Crown Jewel" irish potatoes.
J. L. Warren. Pungoteague.

NOTICE-I have for service a thoroughbred Jersey bull. Terms, 75 F. L. Thomas, Savageville, Va.

original cost \$75 00 Robt. H. Oldham, Accomac C. H., Va. fore existing between us in saw mill business has been dissolved by mutual consent.

FOR SALE-Spalding bicycle cheap

\$ 2 00 T. W. Russell \$ 2 50 FOR SALE-A fine mare, sound,

3 00

3 50

4 00

6 00

works in all harness and fine driver. F. L. Thomas, Savageville, Va. \$ 5 00 For Salk—At private contract the house and lot of Thomas H. Savage at Temperanceville, containing three \$ 9 00 acres. For terms apply to.

James H. Eletcher, Jr.

Accomac C. H. \$12 00 WANTED-To rent with view of \$13 00 purchasing, a farm with one hundred to one thousand acres, in Eastern \$14 00 quail shooting on the premises. Highest references and security. Thomas M. Marshall, Jr.

NOTICE-All persons are hereby forewarned from gunning or otherwise trespassing on the farm, "Bow-mans Folly," or on any other premises owned and controlled by me under penalty of a prosecution to the under penant, c., full extent of law. Wm. H. Coxton.

NOTICE—All persons, having claims against C. W. Marsh and Marsh & Evans, will present them to me, as trustee, at once. Geo. B. Hoffman, Trustee. Rev. R. A. Robinson, headmaster

Wm. T. Fletcher, Bullbeggar, Va.

Trie One Day Cold Cure. Lee, E. B. Phillips; Metompkin, E. S. Rermott's Chocolates Laxative Quining to cold in the head and sore throat. Children take them like cands

-Grand Opening.-

The sound of the hammer and saw which have been very annoying for the past 90 days are ceased. The piles of goods have all been marked and arranged in their respective places and we are ready to serve you in our enlarged store, and have for your inspection one of the argest and most complete stocks on the Shore. In this paper we will mention a few season-ble specialities.

I DRESS COODS. I

Unusual care in selection—frequent visits to the New York markets—keeping in view the ice and style—looking well to quality, places us in position to offer you most fashionable price at a reasonable price. Specials in Black Dress Goods, Crepons, Henriettas, Cashimers, ks, etc., Fancy Silks for waists, trimmings, etc.

I CLOAKS and READY-MADE SUITS. I

adies Jackets, from \$2.50 to \$20.00; Capes from \$1.00 to \$25.00; Children's Coats from \$1 to \$7.50.

Tailor-Made Suits, new shades, latest styles, price ranging from \$1.50 to \$25.00. FUR DEPARTMENT.

Replete with choice shapes in Collars, Capes, Collaretts, Stoles and Scarfs, prices to compete with any reliable house. Prices from \$1.00 to \$3.00.

With the largest stock we ever had bought when the prices were lowest and styles the newest, we are prepared to offer you anything from a Cottage Ingrain to an Axminister Velvet at a price in many cases lower than they can be bought in the city.

FURNITURE. In opening our new furniture room we have taken special pains to have it attractive, and to this end we have procured from the leading manufacturers of our country, and have on exhibit real gems in artistic furniture, lovely Parlor Suits, all styles and prices, odd antique and modern effects in Hall Racks, Desks, Buffets, etc. Full assortment of Fancy Furniture, such as Screens, Easils, Taboretts, Roman Chairs, Hall Chairs, etc. It is well worth your time to look, whether in need of such goods or not. And we extend to you cordial invitation to visit our new store and look at the new things. Thanking you for past favors, we are,

W.S. Dickinson & Son. POCOMOKE CITY, MD.

Great Clearing Sale

A. H. G. MEARS', Wachapreague, Va.

Dress Goods Free. Ladies Cloaks \(\frac{1}{2}\) price. Over Coats \(\frac{1}{2}\) to \(\frac{1}{2}\) price. Ready made Clothing at cost, some half cost. Buy \(\frac{4}{2}\) yds dress goods, get 1 yard free. Ladies cloaks must go at some price, will accept any reasonable offer. If you only think you want an overcoat and if you have any cash we will not let you leave without one, so if you shiver when the north wind blows it will be your fault. Furniture below city prices. Headquarters for all kinds Stoves. If you want bargains in this line come at once, few left at old prices, \$1.50 to \$3.00 saved on one stove. Breech loading Guns, single and double. In fact we have the most complete line of everything shown on the Peninsula—will guarantee to show 10 articles under the market against any 1 article shown by any ONE STORE on the Eastern Shore of Come one, come all and if you are posted in prices I can prove the above assertion in twenty minutes.

Xmas Goods! =:= Xmas Goods!

SANTA CLAUS has his headquarters at A. H. G. Mears. Our stock Toys, Salverware, Xmas and Bridal Presents complete. See our show case assortment of Candies, Cakes, Fruits, Nuts, Sweet Meats, &c., &c. I will guarantee it is the most attractive showing between Cape Charles and Philadel. phia. Don't take my word for it, but come and see for yourself. Your orders we want and intend to have if the best values and lowest prices are any inducements. Thanking you kindly for your most liberal patronage in the past and soliciting a continuance of your valued orders, I remain,

Yours very respectfully, A. H. G. MEARS. Wachapreague, Va.

P. S.—Ladies remember our Cloak and Dress Good offer. Also have few hundred pairs of Shoes in Ladies, Misses and Children, to close at † to † price. Call early and ask to see them and oblige, A. H. G. M.

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We are pleased to announce to our friends and patrons that we have laid in a large and complete stock of holiday goods and wedding presents. We have made it a point to have great variety in goods of all prices, ranging from the merest trifle upwards—in order that you may make good selections at any price you feel able to pay. We have never offered better values than we do at the present time. Would be pleased to have you call, examine our stock, make your selections and be your self the judge.

Our stock consists in part of the following: Toilet Sets, Silverware,
Pictures and Picture Frames,
rk Boxes, Writing Desks, Albums,
and Hymnals. Dinner and Tea Sets, Clocks and Watches,

Work Boxes, Bibles, Prayer Books and Books, See our line of Silver and Mounted Ebony Novelties in following pieces: BOOKS, TOYS. HAIR BRUSHES, SCISSORS. JEWELRY, WATCHES, CLOCKS, SILVERWARE KNIVES, BONNET " HAT NAIL FILES. NAIL SHOE HOOKS. CUTICLES, SHOE HORN, DARN'G BALLS, SHAVING "

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early and get the best of it.

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